

Past Continuous

+	I was waiting.	-	I wasn't waiting.
	They were waiting.		They weren't waiting.
	Was she waiting ?		Yes, she was . / No, she wasn't .
?	Were they waiting ?		Yes, they were . / No, they weren't .
	What was she wearing ?		

Time expressions

(yesterday) at five o'clock, yesterday morning, yesterday evening

Past Continuous and Past Simple

We **were cycling** when we **saw** the lost tomb of Princess Zara.

While Princess Zara **was dancing**, she **fell** into the river.

5 Get Grammar!

At four o'clock Fluffy **was having** a party. Max and Anna **were dancing**. Hammy **was eating** a cake.



Say what Pops, Eva and Mac were and weren't doing yesterday morning at 8.30.

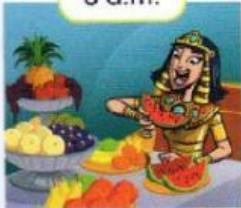
- 1 Pops, Eva and Mac / have / breakfast. ✗
Pops, Eva and Mac weren't having breakfast.
- 2 Pops / clean / his boots. ✓
- 3 Eva / ride / her bike. ✗
- 4 Eva and Mac / play cards. ✗
- 5 Mac / pack / his backpack. ✓
- 6 Eva / read / a book about Egypt. ✓

Circle the correct answer. Then circle true (T) or false (F).

- 1 Pops, Mac and Eva cycled / were cycling through the desert when they saw the tomb. (T) / F
- 2 While Eva looked / was looking at clothes, Pops started to tell a story. T / F
- 3 The princess had / was having an accident while she was dancing. T / F
- 4 A snake was watching them when the princess fell / was falling into the river. T / F
- 5 Eva was putting / put on the necklace when Princess Zara appeared. T / F

Look at the pictures. Then ask and answer in pairs.

8 a.m.



- 1 Princess Zara / talking on the phone?
A: *Was Princess Zara talking on the phone at 8 a.m.?*
B: *No, she wasn't.*
- 2 she / have breakfast?

12 p.m.



- 3 Princess Zara and her pet scorpion / play / football?
- 4 they / play chess?

5 p.m.



- 5 Princess Zara / read / a book?
- 6 she / sleep?

Exam Spot

Complete Princess Zara's diary. Use one word in each gap.

Yesterday ¹was an interesting day! I had visitors. I was sleeping ²when they arrived. While they ³were exploring my tomb, I woke up. An old man and a boy were ⁴looking at hieroglyphics and a girl ⁵was putting on my necklace. I was trying to help her ⁶when the boy saw me and screamed! It was strange because I ⁷wasn't trying to scare them! I wanted to help.